

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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IN RE: VITAMINS ANTITRUST LITIGATION

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Misc. No. 99-197 (TFH)  
MDL No. 1285

This document relates to:

ANIMAL SCIENCE, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CHINOOK GROUP, LTD., et al.,

Defendants.

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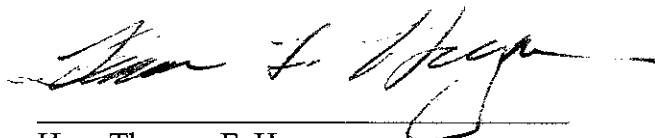
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**ORDER APPROVING PAYMENT OF  
ESTIMATED TAXES BY ESCROW AGENT**

Upon the joint request of Settling Defendants and Plaintiffs' Co-Lead Counsel, payment of taxes by the Escrow Agent in the amount of \$15,300 for the third quarter of tax year 2002 is hereby APPROVED.

Dated: September 12, 2002

  
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Hon. Thomas F. Hogan  
Chief Judge  
United States District Court  
for the District of Columbia